

# Crawford County Avalanche

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## "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay"

### Drama Club to Present Play Friday-Saturday

The Grayling High School Drama Club is presenting the Broadway comedy, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay", on Friday and Saturday, November 19 and 20, at 8:00 p.m. The play tells the story of two young girls, Cornelia Otis Skinner (played by Janice Trudgeon) and Emily Kimbrough (played by Ann Haskel), who, being freed from the guardianship of their parents, are off on a cruise to Europe.

Emily is a very attractive but naive lady, who believes everything she hears. She makes a perfect match for Cornelia, who, following in her father's footsteps, decides to become an actress. Cornelia is constantly performing little acts and scenes, while Emily accepts it very seriously as only she could. The two become acquainted with two very attractive American boys (played by Sam Mead and Dave Vajda). Other escapades included an incident with a band director, (played by Joe Elenbaas) whom the girls believe to be an admiral. Needless to say, it proves to be a very exciting and interesting cruise.

After arriving in France, Cornelia looks forward to taking acting lessons from a famous French actor, Monsieur De La Croix (played by Bill Slater). But Monsieur De La Croix, decides to give Cornelia lessons because he feels he can meet her father, the famous Otis Skinner. De La Croix believes that Mr. Skinner can arrange an American tour and it is for this reason that he accepts Cornelia. When Mr. and Mrs. Skinner (played by Art Wilcox and Holly Knibbs), meet this famous French actor, Cornelia has been bitten by bedbugs and nearly blown out of her bathtub by a faulty gas meter. The climax of the play is a hilarious monologue by Cornelia and the total rejection of De La Croix as an actor.

Come and see this uniquely funny play and you are sure to have a very enjoyable evening. It is a play that the whole family can enjoy. Tickets can be purchased at Mac's Rexall Drug Store and the Grayling Pharmacy for \$1.00. This promises to be an evening that you will always remember.

### Pops Concert Monday, Nov. 22

On Monday evening, Nov. 22 the Grayling High School Choralaires will present their third annual "Pops" Concert in the Grayling High School gym. Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. with the concert slated to begin at 8:00. Admission price is \$1.00 per person.

The 1971 Choralaires will open their concert with a variety of selections from past performances. The second portion of the program will be made up entirely of new selections to the repertoire of the Choralaires. Many of these selections are considered American Popular Classics and the Choralaires have spent many rehearsals in an effort to develop a totally new concept of sound for the group.

Also featured in Monday evening's concert will be members of the local Barber Shop Quartet Singers presenting a variety of Barbershop harmonies.

### Message to Crawford County 4-H Members

Your County Chairman wishes to inform you that we shall not have a meeting in November. Our last meeting of the year will be held Wednesday, Dec. 8, at the Court House, at 7:30.

We plan to have a real fun Christmas meeting, so mark your calendar and plan to be there.

And, again we wish to remind you that, in order to have a successful 4-H calendar next year, you must start collecting birthdays now. For more information on this, you may contact your leader or conservation teacher. Yours for a Happy Holiday Season.

Violet Burns, Crawford County 4-H Chairman

### Spaghetti Dinner Saturday, Nov. 20

The Grayling Youth Boosters Club will be sponsoring a Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 20, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the American Legion Hall. The tariff is set at \$2.00, for all you can eat.

### Share Leading Roles



Janice Trudgeon



Ann Haskel

First Game Wednesday, Nov. 24

## Select Viking Cage Squads

With the first week of basketball tryouts completed, the three squads to represent the Grayling Vikings for the coming season were picked last Friday by varsity coach, Tom St. Germain, JV coach Howard Lehti and freshman coach, Tom Mills.

The Vikings will open the 1971-72 cage season on Wednesday, Nov. 24 with an away game when they take on the Bucks at Roscommon in their traditional non-conference clash.

In an effort to repeat as the Northern Lower Michigan League champs, for the third year in a row, coach St. Germain picked, five seniors, three juniors and four sophomores to wear the Vikings varsity colors this year.

Winning positions on the varsity were: Kim Parkinson, Mike McNamara, Larry Neilson, Jim Tobin and Bill Weideman, seniors; Terry Fitzpatrick, Bob Miller, Dan McIsaac, juniors; Mike Hoffman, Burt Kaiser, Chris Duncley and Wayne Westervelt, sophomores.

JV coach, Howard Lehti also selected a 12 member squad made up of 8 sophomores and 4 freshmen.

Sophomores winning positions were: Randy Sajdak, Jim Bohemeyer, Jim Benedict, Randy Lavarack, Jim Hulbert, Dee Mead, Curt Woodman and Dan McClain. Freshmen making the squad in their first try were: John Tobin, Mark Hanson, Doug Hinkle and Jon Thompson.

### Knitting and Bridge Lessons Offered

Knitting lessons will be held every Monday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Ausagra Acres Senior Citizens center. Bring your own yarn and needles. Mrs. Vi Burns will be the instructor and everyone is welcome.

Don't forget the Bridge lessons every Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5 p.m. at Ausagra Acres with Mr. and Mrs. Vic Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNally as instructors. There is no charge and everyone is welcome.



OPEN HOUSE AT BEAR ARCHERY — R. H. Benedict, Jr., Executive Vice President of Bear Archery, Division Victor Comptometer Corporation, points out features of the new Bear warehousing facility to Gen. Carson Neifert, Asst. A.G., Michigan National Guard and Colonel Edmund Rutkowski, Commander, Camp Grayling. The two Guard officials were among some 75 persons who attended the open house last week when Bear officially opened the new building. The warehouse, with 30,000 square feet of heated storage space, is attached directly to the main plant and will replace the three separate warehouse buildings previously used.

### South Branch Officials Complete Seminars

Lois G. Murphy, clerk, and Patricia M. Spanielewski, treasurer, of South Branch Twp. have successfully completed the Local Government Seminar in accounting at Michigan State University which certifies them according to State regulations in accounting for Township Government.

Richard C. Schaeffer, supervisor of South Branch Twp., upon fulfilling the proper amount of college credit hours and thereupon taking the State Exam for assessors, according to public act 211.104, has successfully passed the State Exam and received certification in property evaluation and assessing for Township Assessor.

### Jansen Named Chairman of County Planners

The newly formed Crawford County Planning Commission held their organizational meeting last Wednesday, and elected Donald Jansen of Grayling Township as chairman.

Mrs. Mary E. Harland, also of Grayling Township was elected secretary.

The 11 member planning commission was appointed by the county board of commissioners at their October session.

The commission set as its immediate priorities the areas of solid waste disposal and of rural development. A solid waste committee, with John Keir, county road commissioner, as chairman, was established.

The work on rural development is in line with Gov. William Milliken's emphasis on land use planning in the state, a spokesman stated.

Other members to the commission besides Jansen, Harland and Keir, are: Jack Trudgeon and William Valusek, City of Grayling; Edith Paul, Beaver Creek Twp.; Ed Young, Maple Forest Twp.; Harold Mertes, Frederic Twp.; William Koernke, Lovells Twp.; Lois Murphy, South Branch Twp. and Lawrence Gust, board of commissioners.

### Christmas Tea At Roscommon Dec. 9

A council meeting of the Area 16 Extension service was held on November 11 at the County Building in Grayling. Members from most of the groups in Crawford and Roscommon Counties attended.

Plans were made for the Christmas Tea, to be held at the Gerrish Higgins Town Hall in Roscommon on Dec. 9. Registration will begin at 9 a.m., and luncheon will be at noon. There will be planned programs for both morning and afternoon.

### Bloodmobile Here Nov. 30

The Red Cross blood program in Crawford County provides many benefits that most people are not aware of unless they have had occasion to receive them.

The program does provide all of the whole blood used by Crawford County residents, regardless of whether they are hospitalized locally or away from home.

In addition to whole blood for transfusions, a number of derivatives, or by-products of blood, are also made available. Whole blood has a useful life of only 21 days during which it can be given as a transfusion. Beyond this point, it loses its effectiveness in this form.

If units of blood of a specific type are not called for during (See Bloodmobile on Page 10)

### Gospel Rock Group

"The New Wine", a Gospel rock group will be at the Rialto Theater on Wednesday, Nov. 17, starting at 7:30 p.m. Admission charge is \$1.00. The group has played concerts throughout Michigan and is sponsored by the Ministerial Association of Roscommon and Crawford County. Everyone is invited to attend and hear this group.

### Thanksgiving Week

### Avalanche To Publish Tuesday

News copy and advertisement for the November 23 (Thanksgiving) issue of the Avalanche must be in by Monday morning, Nov. 22, due to early publication that week.

## County Deer Kill Light



Scene at Grayling's "Buck Pole" Monday Afternoon

A misting rain greeted the Crawford County deer hunters Monday morning on the opening of the 1971 season.

The lack of tracking snow and the dreary day with temperatures near 40 degrees, did not help the already predicted low deer kill for the season.

At 4:00 p.m. Monday there were 11 deer on the Chamber of Commerce "Buck Pole" at the City Park, compared to 13 last year at noon on opening day.

Claiming the \$35.00 gift certificate for the first buck on the deer pole was Bill Dryfuse of Ohio, when he brought in a 152 pounder, with 8 points at 8:50 a.m.

Kathy Muth of Grayling, was the winner of a \$15.00 gift certificate for the first woman bringing in a buck. Her deer weighed in at 133 pounds.

The youngest hunter, as of Monday evening, was Jerry Dixon, 14 years old, of Grayling with a doe Monday morning.

Winning \$10.00 gift certificates for the first 10 deer brought in besides the above three were: Jerry Medler, Grawn, Mi.; Larry Stafford, Ferndale; Larry Burns, Union Lake; Lloyd Crawford, Grayling; Nancy Natalie, Belleville; George Russell and Paul Shindorf.

With the Buck Pole remaining up through Tuesday, the buck with the largest rack, and the heaviest deer shot in Crawford County and brought in to the pole will be announced in next week's Avalanche.

### Reminder to Boys Interested In Boy Scout or Cub Scouts

Next Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, 7:30 p.m., is "Membership Night" for new members in Boy Scouts or Cub Scouts. A meeting will be held in the Elementary School for the purpose of signing new members.

Moms and Dads... you are eligible to sign up as scout leader also. Hopefully, membership will be increased to the point where new 'packs' and 'troops' will have to be formed.

The AuSable District of Lake Huron Area Council of Boy Scouts is now striving to increase

### COUPON DRIVE IS COMPLETED

The Betty Crocker Coupon Drive has been completed and 107,301 coupons worth 1/4 cent a piece have been sent to General Mills, Inc.

A Credit Card will then be issued by them to the hospital and when the equipment is purchased the credit card will then be redeemed for the purchase.

The hospital, the patients and future patients all thank those who were so generous in saving coupons for equipment for the physical medicine department.

### Smorgasbord Dinner Friday, Nov. 19th

Friday, Nov. 19, the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is sponsoring a Smorgasbord Dinner at the American Legion Hall. Serving will be from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and will feature ham, chicken, vegetables, home-made pie, rolls, etc. The price of the dinner is a donation to the building fund for the new church.

### Barbershoppers Sing Nov. 20

An evening of barbershop music by the membership of several chapters of the SPEBSQSA is promised for Saturday night, Nov. 20, at the Grayling Elementary School.

Highlighting the 9 p.m. program will be the reigning District Champion quartet, "The Original Choice", from the Saginaw Bay Area.

Master of ceremonies will be Tom Damm of Spring Lake who has been Pioneer District president for several years. Mr. Damm has recently been elected to be a member on the International Board of SPEBSQSA.

Hosting the event is the AuSable Valley Chapter, which meets in the portables at Grayling High School every Monday night. Attendance from the following chapters is expected: Traverse City, Cadillac, Boyne City, Saginaw-Bay City, and possibly Cedarville. The "Barryard Four", a comedy quartet from Saginaw-Bay City will also perform.

Rounding out an evening of splendid entertainment will be two fine Sweet Adeline groups from Roscommon and Houghton Lake. The public is invited — no admission charge.

### Soil Conservation District Gives Assist to Landowners

Kenneth R. Nepper, District Conservationist

Improving the quality of the environment is not new to the landowners who cooperate with the Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation District. In the past year, the district, with assistance from the Soil Conservation Service, has helped 46 landowners apply conservation practices on their land.

Accomplishments by landowners is evidence of the emphasis

### Frederic Buck Contest Set

The Frederic Buck Contest will be held November 15 thru Nov. 30. The four prizes to be awarded will go for the 1st deer in, \$25.00; largest rack buck, \$25.00; first woman in, \$15.00 and youngest hunter, \$10.00.

You must register and purchase a souvenir key chain to be eligible. These are on sale in all business places in Frederic. The contest headquarters is Newberry's General Store and Mobil Station north of Frederic.

### Child Born To Accident Victim Lives

A baby girl was delivered by Caesarian section last Tuesday afternoon in an ambulance following the death of her mother.

Mrs. Carol Echelbarger, 20, of Star Route, Grayling died about four miles north of Clare while enroute to St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw where a brain surgeon was scheduled to perform emergency surgery, according to Houghton Lake State Police. She had sustained a head injury in an automobile accident in Roscommon County at 10:30 in the morning.

Injured in the accident was Mrs. Elsie Reive, 59, also of Star Route, Grayling, driver of the car, and the victim's son, William, 3.

According to Sister Mary Hilda, hospital administrator, two members of the hospital staff, Dr. Donald Burkley and Mrs. Cathryn Mason, R.N., were accompanying the mother to the Saginaw hospital and delivered the baby after the woman died.

As of Monday, both Echelbarger children had been released from Mercy Hospital and were being cared for at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Beck of Frederic. Mrs. Reive was still in the hospital, according to hospital officials.

### GRANGE NOTICE

The Crawford Grange will not hold their regular social meeting on November 24 due to Thanksgiving.



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### Veterans Note

The Marine Corps League will have its Field Service Officer, Richard Langley, at the Court House in Grayling on November 24, 1971 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. He will assist veterans, their dependents and widows of deceased veterans in filing their claims with the Veterans Administration in Detroit.

Veterans and widows in receipt of pension will receive Income Questionnaire cards with the November 1 check. This card must be completed and returned to the Veterans Administration as soon as possible to insure continuance of your checks without interruption.

### Spaghetti Dinner By Youth Group Nov. 23

An old fashioned Spaghetti dinner will be held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, at the Michelson Memorial Methodist Church basement sponsored by the United Methodist Youth Group. Serving will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be on sale at the door at \$1.50 for adults and children 12 and under, 75c. Everyone is welcome.

### Meeting Notice

There will be a meeting of the Crawford County Zoning Commission Monday, Nov. 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the Court House. William DeWitt, Secretary

### MILITARY MAILBAG

Pvt. Dwane J. Halstead, 381-54-0525, 1st Platoon, Co. A, 10th Bn., 4th Tng. Bde., U. S. Army Armor Center, Fort Knox, Ky. 40121.

Pvt. Glen Sparks, 278-52-4325, Co. E, 13th Bn., 4th Tng. Bde., P.L.T. 4, Fort Knox, Ky. 40121.

### CHURCH NOTICE

Thanksgiving Eve Church services will be held Wednesday evening, November 24, at 7:30 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church. You are welcome.

## Meeting Notice

A Special Executive Meeting of the Frederic Township Board was called on Sunday, Oct. 17, 1971 at 3:00 p.m. A resolution was passed to appoint the following to the Frederic Township Zoning Board.

1. Rita Sarrauli, 2. Dean Welch, 3. Lowell Binschattel, 4. Stanley Klein, 5. Gerald Bender.

MILDRED O. HARMER, Clerk

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## NOTICE SPECIAL HEARING

The Frederic Township Board are calling a Special Hearing for the tax payers and interested citizens of Frederic Township for the purpose of deciding on having a full time Supervisor for assessing or go into the County Assessing.

The Board urges everyone to attend. The meeting will be held Tues., Nov. 30th, 1971 at 8:00 p.m. at the Frederic Town Hall.

MILDRED O. HARMER, Clerk

## Completes Air Force Training



Airman James Kucharek

SAN ANTONIO — Airman James E. Kucharek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Kucharek of R. R. 1, Grayling, has received his first U. S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Vandenberg AFB, Calif., for training and duty as a law enforcement specialist. Airman Kucharek, a 1969 graduate of Grayling High School, attended Kirtland Community College, Roscommon.



Airman Tim Mead

SAN ANTONIO — Airman Timothy H. Mead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Mead of 608 Ottawa, Grayling, has received his first U. S. Air Force duty assignment after completing training at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Loring AFB, Maine, for training and duty as a security policeman. Airman Mead is a 1971 graduate of Grayling High School.

## Editor's Mailbox

Editor  
Crawford County Avalanche  
Grayling, Mich. 49738  
Dear Mr. Madsen and  
Citizens of Grayling Twp.

Perhaps Rev. Paul Frederick's recent letters to the editor should not be honored with a reply, but because of his position in the community it is natural for our citizens to expect true facts from him. He has even a greater responsibility to be sure of the facts before writing to the public. His letter was unfair and contained many discrepancies and therefore I believe should be answered.

The truth is that the zoning board received a request to rezone the property at M-72 West and Old Dam Road from residential to commercial. There was a public hearing to discuss this rezoning. By the way, Mr. Frederick did not attend this hearing and therefore he did not meet Mr. Hulett, new owner of the property who spoke at length describing a party store he hopes to build on the corner.

A party store is a neighborhood grocery that has a beer and wine carry out license and sometimes a package liquor license. There are already four such stores in the township and in every case they are an asset to the neighborhood that they serve.

The real question the zoning board had to solve was "is the property along M-72 valuable as residential or should it be rezoned to commercial. There are some very nice homes along M-72, but most of them were built before the traffic on the highway was as heavy as it is

these days. The remaining vacant property, facing 72 W has a very limited market, if it cannot be rezoned from residential to commercial.

Any rezoning will help a few and hurt a few, and it is the duty of the zoning board and the responsibility of the township board to consider all facts and vote accordingly for the good of the present and also for the future of the township as a whole.

A petition is being circulated to bring the rezoning of this particular property to a special election. In spite of the fact that an election is costly (approximately \$500.00) to the township, I am happy that our citizens have this recourse. Please give honest consideration to your signature to the petition, and if it comes to an election, to your vote.

Thank you very much.  
Sincerely,  
Evelyn Gardiner

Dear Mr. Madsen,

I was born in Grayling over 60 years ago — and naturally, my heart-strings are always tied to Northern Michigan.

My husband and I have stayed in the same motel in Grayling for the past 10 years. Recently it changed hands. Three weeks ago when arriving in Grayling on a color trip, we went to this same motel, naturally intending to stay. The rate first given us was outrageous. When informed that we were original "Graylingites", he came down \$4.00.

Can't something be done to "help" these people who just want to get rich quick? In the long run, they are the losers — as our experience was advertised heavily around Grayling as we met many friends at the Arrowhead where we ate that evening.

Maybe a word from you would help.  
Sincerely,  
One who wants Michigan to still be the greatest vacation spot of all the 50 states.

## Sally L. Bewow In Practice Teaching

ALMA — Sally L. Bewow of Grayling is one of 34 Alma College students preparing for careers in education who are doing student teaching in mid-Michigan or Detroit area schools during the present term.

Miss Bewow is teaching kindergarten in the classroom of Mrs. Barbara Russell at Wright Avenue School in Alma.

Eighteen of the 34 students are serving in classrooms of the Alma Public Schools. Nine are in Detroit elementary and secondary schools, three at Fulton High School, two at Edmore High School and one at St. Louis High School.

Miss Bewow, daughter of Mrs. Emory Bewow of Grayling, is a graduate of Grayling High School.

## LAKE MARGRETHE WATER LEVEL

(Information furnished by  
U.S. Geological Survey)  
Period of Record: Nov. 12, 1942 to date.

Area of Lake: 1,920 acres at elevation, 1,135 ft. M.S.L.

Water level, Nov. 11, 1971 1133.94 ft.

Water level, Nov. 11, 1970 1133.98 ft.

Maximum level for period of record, Sept. 15, 1961 1135.46 ft.

Minimum level for period of record, Sept. 24-27, 1948 1133.57 ft.

Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Midweek Service, Prayer 7:30 p.m.

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Chapel Service 11:00 a.m.

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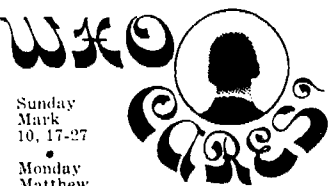
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## Conserving Wildlife

In sports, as in the matter of crime prevention, law-abiding, gun-owning U. S. citizens have been misrepresented, maligned and threatened with deprivation of one of their most fundamental rights. The right to possess firearms.

America's 17 million hunters are actually guardians of U. S. game. In fact, one observer, W. C. Westbrook of Easley, South Carolina, states that in the bird world practically all of the game species are on the increase — even though they are killed in large numbers by hunters each year. Also, large game animals such as elk, moose, antelope, deer, mountain sheep and goats "face a promising future". In the estimation of Mr. Westbrook, the reason that game animals face an assured future is the money derived from the sale of hunting and fishing licenses and the tax on guns and ammunition that makes possible much of the wildlife conservation work. Another authority, writing in "The American Rifleman" observes that, "Our United States offers more sport hunting than any other area of the world, Africa not excepted."

Thanks to the support of millions of gun-owning citizens, professional game managers have been able to not only maintain the population of game birds and animals, but to actually restore scarce species such as the wild turkey and otherwise assure the future of American wildlife — in the game category. This is one score for gun owners that the antigun fanatics will have a tough time cancelling out.

Lennox, S.D., Independent: "Feel for the policeman! If he over-reacts he is hated, and if he doesn't react enough he is despised. He is supposed to be a mind reader, a fortune teller, a fix-it man and the lord protector of all . . . but he isn't supposed to deny anyone his 'rights' nor be concerned about his own safety or welfare. Strange how so much is expected from an individual who is considered an oppressor by so many who consider themselves to be the intellectuals of our age."

Orange, Mass., Enterprise and Journal: "... today we are being choked to death by welfare costs brought on largely by a sharp rise in family break-ups, and the takeover of medical costs for everyone who falls in low income levels. The growth in irresponsibility in this nation is fantastic. There isn't enough money to help an irresponsible people and nation survive. Only a responsible and disciplined people can survive. And when are we going to become responsible and disciplined?"

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## Crawford County Avalanche

## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

November 18, 1948

Opening day of deer season in the Grayling area brought two wounded deer hunters to Mercy Hospital, several arrests and many bucks and at least one bear. Among the lucky hunters opening day were Mrs. Rolla Felling who downed a six point buck Monday morning while John Schofield also of Grayling shot a black bear near Higgins Lake. Carl Henry Nielsen, Bud Jorgenson, Frank May, Jr., and Gene Papendick were others to bag their buck on Monday.

Battering Bill Worden, Grayling fullback was named to a spot on the all conference eleven of the Northern "C" Conference at the coach's meeting held at Gaylord last week. John Krage, tackle and Bob Lozon, guard also of Grayling were named on the second team. Carl Hanson, Grayling flanker, received honorable mention. Worden is only a sophomore and his selection on the all-conference eleven spells a great high school grid career for him if he continues to improve during his junior and senior years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Feldhauser of Pontiac are here for a few days hunting at the Robert Feldhausers.

Among the lucky ones to get their bucks the first day were Roy Papenfus and Ted Bayham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin C. Duncley of Walled Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Duncley of Detroit are up for deer hunting and are visiting the boy's parents, the Lyle Duncleys.

There was no men's league bowling this week because of the opening of hunting season. The women's league will not bowl this week for the same reason or next week because of Thanksgiving.

Ernest Bissonette of Grand Blanc is spending the week as a guest of the Harold Hatfields, here for hunting. Cpl. James Hatfield of Camp Lejeune, N. C., is enjoying a 10 day leave from the Marine Corp. with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson and daughter, Mary Ann, of Jackson are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bidvia. Mr. and Mrs. Don Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Peterson of Ann Arbor are expected on Thursday to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers and son, Donald, and mother, Mrs. Geo. Stephan left for Big Rapids Monday to spend a week visiting the George Granger family. Frank Bond accompanied them to Big Rapids enroute to Chicago, where he was called owing to the illness of his mother, Mrs. Harry Williams.

Guests this week of the Dave Hornings are his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Horning of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Brown and son, Marvin, and wife, of Mt. Morris.

Guests this week at the home of Mrs. William Blaine are Harry Martin and his four sons of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. George Benjamin are happy over the arrival of an infant daughter, who was born in Pontiac on November 11. Ann Marie, as she has been named, weighing six pounds and two ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Simpson are the young lady's grandparents.

Mrs. Efner Matson expected to leave today for Stockton, Calif., to spend the winter with her daughter, Professor Elizabeth Matson.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Christian are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Linda Maureen, born in Phoenixville, Pa., November 4. The young lady weighed 7 pounds and 11 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Brown of Port Huron are spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Collens.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sherwood and daughter, Mrs. Jean Budrow and son, Jim, of Kalamazoo, spent the weekend as guests of Mrs. Laura McLeod.

Guests of the William LaRush family for several days of hunting this week are O. T. Schanitz, Tom Izzo, and Joseph Zaravle of Chicago, Donald Hubbard, Bill Wood and Al Fehr of Lansing and Jimmy Weekesser of Berkley.

Mrs. Lyle St. John and children, Leon 12, Carol 7, Robert 4 and Timothy 2, joined Mr. St. John here on Wednesday last to make their home. They had remained in Lincoln Park until such time as their home could be sold. Mr. St. John, the new owner of Bill's Shoe Sales and Service, got his buck bright and early the opening day.

Dwight Mills and two friends of Sandusky spent several days here hunting this week as guests at the Stanley Smith home. Other guests were Louis Smith, Ben Morris and Harry Shamelmeir of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dibble (Virginia Day) have arrived in Miami, Fla., to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Cherven (Kathleen Kraus) of Roscommon are happy over the arrival of a daughter, born November 11. She has been named Constance Sue.

John Gleason of Pontiac visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson last week, enroute to the Upper Peninsula to hunt.

Mrs. John Ludeman entertained eight ladies with a luncheon on Wednesday last. Following lunch the guests played pinocle. Mrs. Margaret Leslie held high score, Mrs. Ruth Parish, second high and Mrs. Robert Pawlocki was awarded the consolation prize.

At the Northern Michigan Potato and Apple show held at Cadillac, Stanley Hummel was declared county winner in the table stock premier growers contest. Mr. Hummel had an average yield of over 300 bushels for 5 acres or more. This is the second year in a row that he has won the contest and last year he was the winner of the area which consists of the upper 32 counties of the state.

### 44 YEARS AGO —

November 19, 1925

Miss Ethel M. Wikson of Frederic was declared the winner of an essay contest on the subject "How I Would Grow and Market Quality Potatoes" and will receive a cash prize of \$15.

Thirteen men consisting of the official family of the Court House and a few invited citizens spent Tuesday evening at the County Jail, not however behind bars but in the pleasant living quarters of the sheriff and his family.

Those present were Judge George Sorenson, Sheriff J. E. S. Bobenmoyer, Clerk Frank Sales, Treasurer Wm. Ferguson, Register Andy Hart, Prosecutor Merle F. Nellist, Road Commissioners Ralph Hanna and O. B. Scott, Justices Kraus and Schumann, Postmaster Bates and Councilman George McCullough. Road Commissioner James Knibbs was unable to attend.

The occasion was a farewell dinner in honor of H. A. Clemesen, maintenance engineer of highways of Northern Michigan, who for the past year and one half had his office in the Court House and who is now being transferred to Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Schultz of Saginaw are spending a couple of weeks here as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown, while the former is deer hunting.

Schram's Tie Stables are always prepared to care for your horses and teams. Blacksmith Shop, Cedar Street.

Peter Gibson of Standish, brother-in-law of Thomas Trudo has returned home after spending several days here in quest of a deer.

Dell Walt is entertaining a party of friends of the Metro-Goldwyn Corp., Detroit, this week, they coming here to hunt deer under his guidance. They are Lester Strum, Hal Burrit and Sam Barrett.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. McCann, who recently purchased the dental practice of Dr. C. R. Canfield, arrived in the city Tuesday and are now busy re-arranging the office and adding new equipment.

William Johnson of this city announces the marriage of his daughter, Miss Idessa Anna to Frederick P. Anderson of Flint, the ceremony taking place at the latter city on Saturday, November 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson attended the Ohio State Michigan football game at Ann Arbor, Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Warner and little son, Ralph Jr., of Detroit, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson, while Mr. Warner is in the Upper Peninsula hunting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Roberts have as their guest Earl Maple of Detroit.

Mrs. Charles Fehr and daughter, Margaret were guests of Mrs. Herman Dudd at Johannesburg, Sunday.

John Corwin just purchased a fine new Essex coach from Thurman Ingham, the local dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eseman left the first part of the week for Flint, where they will reside.

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Vivan and Ruth Campbell were the honored guests at an Open House held on October 19th in the Multi-purpose room of the Grayling Elementary School from seven to nine in the evening. The affair was in observance of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary and was hosted by their five married children.

A buffet luncheon was served and the couple received many lovely gifts from friends and relatives. There were about 75 present.

The center table was decorated with a large 4-tiered wedding cake with pink, yellow and green decorations and topped with a silver 25th emblem, baked by their daughter, Sally Hartig. It was arched by green and yellow streamers with crystal bowls holding floating candles on each side of the cake.

Out of town guests present were from Traverse City, Cheboygan and Alpena. A most enjoyable evening was had by all.

### EARN DEGREES

Marilyn S. (Joseph) Stancil was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Howard W. Taylor received a Master of Arts in Educational Administration at summer term graduation from Michigan State University.

A total of 2,636 candidates for degrees were listed for the term which ended in September.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
We would like to thank the doctors, nurses and staff of Mercy Hospital and the shelter-in-place for their efforts on behalf of Carol Echelbarger with a special thanks to Dr. Burkley. Also our sincere thanks to Rev. Amundson and to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness.  
Dean Echelbarger and children Mr. and Mrs. William Beck and family

## Frederic

By Abbie Madell

Mr. and Mrs. A. LaFountain are now living in the Clair Melroy home. Mr. Melroy moved to Grayling and is living with his daughter, Wanda Smith, daughter of the LaFountains is living in their home.

Our sympathy is extended to Dean Echelbarger and the W. Beck family.

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone who contributed and helped with the funeral dinner Friday.

In the list of relatives of young Roy Dutton Jr. of Roscommon we forgot to list his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Cox Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Liland Charron were in Detroit last week to visit her brother, Chuck Horton, who is seriously ill in the hospital there.

Mrs. Sally Neel and son, Jason, of Cleveland are visiting her parents, the George Bindschatels for a week.

Eight women of the Frederic Baptist Church went to the harvest supper at the Evangelical Free Church in Gaylord Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fenbert and daughter Cherron of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Milford Post and Jeff of Bay City are visiting Abbie Madell for a few days of hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Barber, who had been visiting the Wayne Barbers in R. I., were called home due to the death of their grandson. They arrived home Tuesday.

The Women's Club meets Thursday evening at the home of Norma Madell.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I would like to thank the ladies of the Missionary Society of the Free Methodist Church for the lovely basket sent to me when I was ill.  
Frances Allard

**Auxiliary Silver Tea A Success**  
Last Friday members of the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary finished the day, tired but triumphant. This was the most successful Silver Tea yet.

Mrs. Adelaide Laurence, who for the past two years has donated one of her lovely paintings as a fundraising incentive, was unable to attend as she is a patient in the hospital. The Auxiliary hopes that her stay in the hospital will be short.

Mrs. Bruce Benson was the fortunate winner of the painting, Mrs. Lyle Johnson, the door prize, and Mrs. Carl E. Johnson carried off the centerpiece. This floral arrangement was donated by Mrs. George Matyn and Mrs. Everett Williams. The bowl was given by Grayling Greeters.

As always, Arnie Mauren was a generous sponsor of the Tea, since he allows the use of the main dining room of the Shoppenagons Motor Hotel. The Grayling State Bank, the Grayling Mercantile and Michelson Methodist Church displayed the paintings in the weeks preceding the event.

Mrs. Everett Williams and Mrs. Jack Alef were co-chairmen and directed the activities of a dedicated group of workers. Their efforts resulted in a sum that made a giant step toward the purchase of another piece of equipment for the hospital.

The ladies wish to express their appreciation to everyone who helped in any way to make the Tea a success.

Some items left over from the sale at the Christmas counter will be placed on the gift cart at the hospital.

There will be a meeting of the Auxiliary at the hospital on Thursday, Nov. 18, at 1:30. Anyone interested in joining is invited to attend.

Helen Wainwright, publicity

**Shop**

## Parents Know the Drug Threat

### The Child You Save May Be Your Own

Today's Subject: More Bad News for "Speed" Users (Methamphetamines).

Last week we talked briefly about injected Methamphetamines commonly called in the jargon of the street, "Speed". You'll recall that the effects of using this drug, in this manner, were very disturbing to say the least. Now, more bad news about "Speed" has come to light. On Thursday, November 5th, 1970, it was reported by a USC Medical Center team at Los Angeles that as many as 20% of the youths who "shoot speed", (take it by injection), may develop a blood vessel disease that has been fatal in about 30% of cases detected to date.

It seems to be indicated the disease kills by blocking blood vessels in vital organs such as kidneys and the heart. This will be the first deadly disease of the system that doctors have found associated with drugs which are abused.

"Speed" is, as we have said, a form of amphetamine — the "pep pill" drug. Users inject it to get a quicker, higher response. According to one doctor, working with the study, persons who take amphetamines orally to control their appetite may possibly be in danger of acquiring the lethal blood vessel disease. There were eight doctors on the medical team which made the discovery, at USC, from the departments of medicine, radiology and pathology. Dr. B. Philip Citron, who headed the team, has a report appearing in the November 5th issue of the New England Journal of Medicine. In it he tells of extensive studies done on 14 patients; four of them died and one is now near death. Eight of the 14 were males and six were females.

Most of those who died succumbed to heart failure or kidney failure, due to the blockage by scar tissue of blood vessels within those organs. Autopsies showed vessels in the pancreas, stomach and small intestines also were severely affected. It is hoped that the discovery will hasten the removal from the market of amphetamines which reportedly have "very little therapeutic value". LSD is also suspected as cause of the same blood vessel disease.

One interesting case, a woman patient involved in the study had been taking 30 pills a day, originally prescribed to control her diet. The dosage for that purpose is two pills a day. It seems this is a startling example of how diet pills, used under a doctor's prescription in the beginning, can get completely out of hand quite easily. In my first article I mentioned that the purpose of these "letters" was not to pin the blame for the drug problem on anyone. However, one can hardly consider all available information on the subject without coming to the conclusion that adults have been misusing drugs for many years now and have by so doing certainly contributed to the spread and increase of the practice.

Have you checked your medicine chest lately to see what dangerous drugs it may contain? Do you know exactly what drugs you keep in the house and whether they are potentially dangerous in the hands of children or young people? How would

you feel if one of your children became involved with the misuse of drugs and you found it all started with something he found in your medicine chest?

We are discussing facts, friends, and considering all possibilities. That is why some unpleasant subjects are likely to come up during our consideration of the national drug problem.

Be with me next week. I think you'll find the subject of deep interest and if you are concerned about drugs I know your reading time will not be wasted.

### Thought For Food

**Thanksgiving Special**  
**Easy, Delicious Recipes**  
**Stuffed Pear Salad:** Place drained canned pear halves, cut side down on beds of lettuce. Stud with blanched sliced almonds; decorate with sliced maraschino cherries. Serve with creamy dressing.

**Speed Apple Bouillon:** Take 1 can (10½ ounces) condensed beef broth and ¼ cup apple juice and mix together. Add a dash of ground cinnamon or nutmeg, if desired. Pour over ice cubes, or heat and serve hot. Makes 2 to 3 servings.

**Golden Mushroom Turkey Gravy:** Remove turkey from the pan, pour off and measure 2 to 4 tablespoons drippings. Pour 1 can (10½ ounces) condensed golden mushroom soup into the pan. Stir to loosen browned bits. Blend in ¼ to ½ cup water and the 2 to 4 tablespoons turkey drippings for the desired thickness desired. Heat; stir often. Makes 1½ cups gravy.

**Peas Chinoise:** Cook and drain 2 packages (10 ounces each) frozen peas. Add ¼ cup mandarin oranges, 2 cans (5 ounces each) water chestnuts, drained, and ¼ teaspoon mace or nutmeg. Heat; stir now and then. Serves 6.

**Porcupine Celery:** Feather the edges of celery stalks early in the day and place in the refrigerator in ice water until ready to serve.

The risk of mid-air collisions will be reduced dramatically during the seventies through use of communications satellites for air traffic control.

### SUNDAY'S SERMON

**Happiness**  
Some people never find happiness. They go through life with the idea that happiness is more a "place" than a state of being. They know they would be happier if they had another job, if they lived in another town, went to another school. Their outlook is conditional: "I know I would be happy if . . ."

The truth about happiness is quite simple. Happiness is found in a life that is full of purpose. Happiness is found in a life that is outgoing; that is not dedicated to the principle of "self."

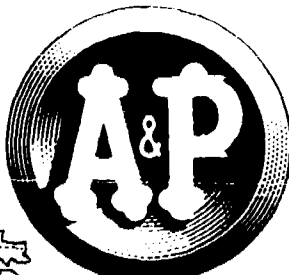
If you seek happiness, observe the Golden Rule. If you seek happiness, heed the Commandments. If you seek happiness, look to the lessons of the life of Christ upon earth.

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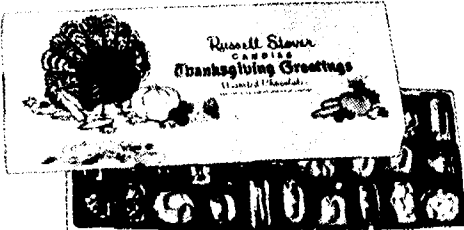
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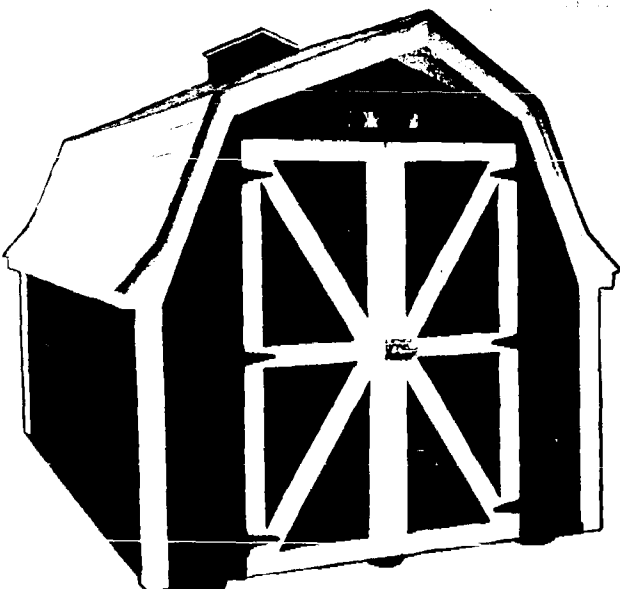
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### CONSUMERS' CORNER

No emotions affect buying? Definitely yes. Many of us try to buy "intangibles". Without realizing it, we hope the possessions we collect will help bring us power, status, respect, and security. Recognizing these traits in ourselves is the first step in understanding why we spend money the way we do. When we're honest, we find we're sometimes trying to buy "feelings" rather than the things we need, can afford, and will use.

Consider the family buying a new car. Dad's concerned about showing his success, so he picks a big, expensive car. Mother wants a good looking car, but also the security of money left in the savings account, so she'd buy a popular medium priced model. The teenage son is concerned about being "in", so he'd choose a sleek sports car. Each one has different ideas for using the money. That's why it's important to discuss both small and large purchases as a family. Being aware of why other family members want to spend the way they do could pave the way to smoother family relations. Admitting the real reason for spending can show us why we buy the things we do. By listening to our reasons, instead of our emotions, could help us stay out of financial trouble.

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'If It Fitz . . .

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by JIM FITZGERALD

The boys at the car wash are making out with my sex symbol. But I don't care. Just so long as they don't sue me for any social diseases they might catch.

A Delaware professor, Dr. George Basalla, gained national publicity recently when he declared that fast cars are replacing women as sex symbols.

Dr. Basalla, who has done extensive research with plenty of pit stops, says men generate "a highly emotional and erotic relationship" with their cars. The doctor reads sexual connotations into such terms as "hot rod, Body by Fisher and bosoms of the bumper."

The Sunday ritual of washing and waxing the car also has sexual significance, he says, representing "the male caressing his mechanical mistress with balsam and oils." (That sounds so sexy, maybe the boys at the car wash should pay me).

I've never cared much for cars. In 21 years of driving, I've owned only five. As long as the car I now own gets me where I'm going in reasonable comfort, I see no reason to trade for a new one. Some of my fondest enemies are car salesmen. They have long regarded me as un-American, even subversive. Now, thanks to Dr. Basalla, they probably think I'm queer, too.

How come I'm not having a hot affair with my Oldsmobile? I never pet it or even fondle the bosom of the bumper. The awful truth is, I don't have any more affection for my car than I do for my lawn mower.

If I were looking for a mechanical mistress, I'd probably start making suggestive moves toward the refrigerator. But really, anything with moving parts turns me off. If I ever go steady with an appliance, it will probably be a can opener.

I have never understood why men fall in love with cars. I used to think the Indianapolis 500 race, "round and 'round they go," was the all-time dumbest sports event. But then someone invented drag racing. Grown men spend all day Sunday roaring down a short stretch of blacktop, competing to see who can make the moist noise and waste the most rubber. Incredible.

I know a man who was so romantically attached to his car, he could not bear to part with it, even when it began falling apart. Instead of selling the parts for junk, he sent for a priest and buried the car in his backyard.

Bucket seats and stick shifts prove Dr. Basalla is right. Healthy young Joe Crankshaft will insist on buckets so he can sit zoomy, like Mario Andretti. And Joe wants that stick hard beside him, so he can grab the power and thrust it forward, wham, the second the light turns green. Which means Joe's girl can't cuddle up to him unless she straddles metal and risks embarrassing involvement if not serious injury.

Now I ask you. When a young man prefers hard steel to soft flesh, this country can stop worrying about the population explosion. But there are greater worries. To each his own, but I am not raising my son to marry a Chevrolet. Not even if he can get Ralph Nader to give the bride away.

Don't tell my wife I said so, but there is still something about a girl, even when the warranty runs out.

### I REMEMBER

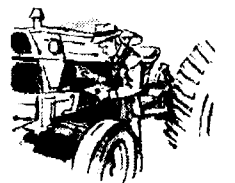
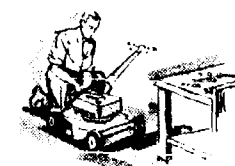
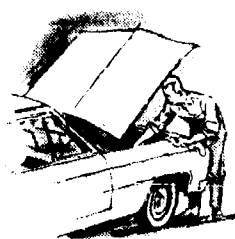
From Mrs. Clifton V. Van Dyke, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.: One of my fondest recollections as a child is riding the streetcar, by myself, to Grandma's house on Saturday mornings.

Mother would shake open a freshly laundered linen hankie, tie a nickel in one corner, straighten the end of the knot till it looked like a one-eared bunny, then send me on my merry way. The nickel was for carfare, and I held that hankie with such a firm grip that the heat from my hand tightened the knot forcibly. More than once, I remember the conductor waited patiently (I believe) while I worked painstakingly to free the entrenched coin. And, I didn't mind detaining everyone, because as long as that knot stayed put, I knew my fare was safe.

Yes, I remember when getting there was half the fun.

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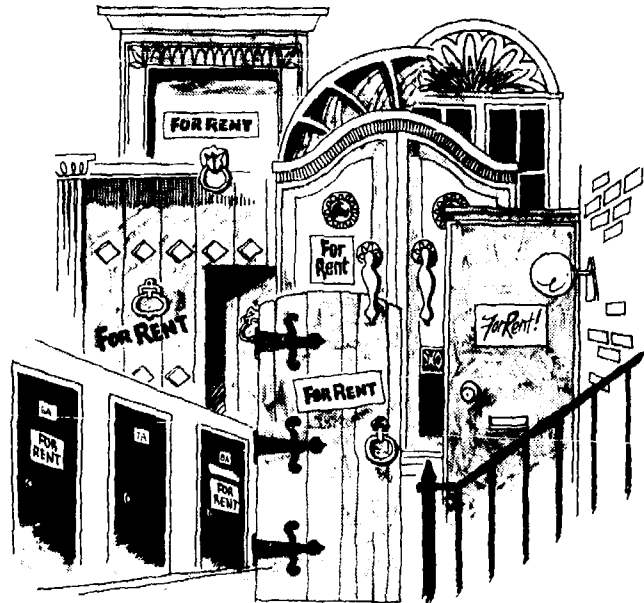
### Tasty-Topic

Thanksgiving Special  
Grandma's Turkey Stuffing  
6 cups herb-seasoned cube  
stuffing  
1 cup chopped celery  
1 cup finely chopped onion  
1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon poultry  
seasoning  
Dash pepper  
1/2 cup butter or margarine  
1 can (10 1/2 ounces) con-  
densed cream of mushroom  
soup  
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Ruth Towsley

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the doctors, nurses and hospital staff for the wonderful care I received; also, friends for visits and cards while I was a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Jack Millikin

## BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elenbaas received word from their daughter and husband that they are settled in their new home and the weather has been quite warm there. For all their friends their address is Sp.4 and Mrs. Donn Broeker, Dogwood Acres, Route 3, Lot 15, Enterprise, Ala. 36330.

Jack Smith and John Powers of Fremont are visiting the Roy Smiths and hunting in the area. The Wednesday evening Buncle club met last week at the home of Madalyn Kucharek. High score was held by Mary Houle and second high by Mary Dene-witt, who also won the door prize. Low was held by the hostess Madalyn. The next meeting will be held on November 17 with Mary Houle as hostess.

Onalee Smith is home convalescing after having surgery at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor. Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Olin were in Ohio last week to visit her son, Ed Carlson, who will undergo open heart surgery November 18 at the Cleveland Clinic. Mrs. Roy Smith accompanied them and on their way home they called on Mrs. Smith's children, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family in Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. David Englund in Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. David Welch and family in Rockford. Anyone wishing to write Ed, the address is 3358 Country Club Drive, Medina, Ohio 44256.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McNamara returned home on November 4th from a weeks vacation spent at Nassau in the Bahamas Islands. The trip was awarded to Larry by the Hazeltine and Perkins Drug Company. They flew out of Grand Rapids on Oct. 28. They report a marvelous trip, having taken a tour of the island, a glass bottom boat trip and a trip to Fort Charlotte, an old pirate fort. They also called Whitey on Oct. 29, to wish him a happy birthday. They left the island in 88 degree weather and arrived in Grand Rapids about three hours later and found snow there. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dawson, former Grayling residents, were also at the island at the same time. Dick being a salesman for the Drug Co. Mrs. Rachel Kitchen stayed with the McNamara children while their parents were gone.

Irving McIsaac left Saturday for Marquette Island to spend a week with friends at a hunting camp there, to do some hunting. Mrs. Roy Smith and Rev. and Mrs. Olin called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westerholm in Wadsworth, Ohio last week while they were in Ohio visiting Ed Carlson. Mr. Westerholm is a cousin of the ladies and both are former Grayling residents.

## EDITOR'S MAIL BOX

November 15, 1971

Editor  
Crawford County Avalanche  
Grayling, Michigan  
Dear Editor:

With reference to a brief letter in the November 11th issue of the Avalanche, I think "Abortion is Nice" is a very poor choice of words. I doubt very much if Rev. Frederick, or anyone else for that matter, thinks "Abortion is Nice."

I certainly believe a few well stated facts have been badly misconstrued. Because the opinion of one man differs from that of another, does not mean something is wrong with his sense of values.

I might add, I too, agree that Grayling already has more than enough bars.

Sincerely,  
M. Shirkey

## Jack Pine's Stump



It's good to be back in Grayling again and if it hadn't been for a whole bunch of birthdays, including mine, I would have been completely re-oriented in a day or two. But such was not the case. Some of the most interesting people I know apparently are Scorpios and Scorpios always do things to extremes. So, as I crawl into my fiftieth year on this planet, I do so with the full realization that in a year the whole thing will undoubtedly happen again unless some idiotic politician somewhere decides to push the red button and vaporize us all... including all those nice Scorpios.

— JP —

No, I don't know what is going on at Bear Mountain, and from the stories going around, apparently no one else does either. But of one thing I am sure, and that is that the place isn't going to be closed forever. Too many people have too much interest in it to allow that to happen. There are many people who are involved and they will work it out in spite of the stories going around. Who did what to who, who's to blame and name calling aren't important. What is important is the place itself and the rumors only serve to muddy up the issue.

— JP —

Last Saturday and Sunday before the opening of the rifle deer season, three of us went down by Gladwin for a little bowhunting. We had the place to ourselves — a whole 12-14 hundred acres of fenced patrolled land reserved just for bowhunters. It's an interesting place, where the owner feeds deer on a daily basis year-around. He plants grain and clover. He also feeds corn, both whole and shelled, along with beans. He has also built about thirty five deer blinds, but never uses one more than three times in a ten day period. If the occasion permits, he will build an instant blind to suit a certain wind or feeding condition. All of this care results in tremendous success for his hunters. So far this year his guests have had an 18 percent success ratio. When you consider that the success ratio of bowhunters nation-wide is only about four percent, it's apparent that he has quite an operation. He only makes one stipulation. When you go into a blind, you stay there. No sneak hunt-

ing. But I think what I like most about the man is that he just won't give up on a wounded deer. If the animal is hit in the evening, he's out there with a gas lantern following the track. If it takes until two in the morning, he'll stay with it. Which isn't bad for a man nearly 70.

He has some trouble with poachers, so he bought a disassembled fire tower up in Gaylord and had it transported to his place. In just over five months, he completely re-erected it — by himself, just using a hand winch and a cooperative wife on the ground who would fasten the cable to the next piece to go up. From his hundred foot vantage point, where he also has a phone, he watches for nighttime poachers, which he promptly reports to the local conservation officer.

The man's name is Laverne Bowman, and the name of his place is the Tittabawsee Resort, Second Route, Gladwin. Actually, the place is a summer resort, but in the fall, it's strictly for bowhunters. Rates are very low, considering the quality of the food and the hunting. It's one of those places not too many people know about.

How did we do this weekend? Well, the two men with me each got one, but I didn't have a shot. Saw quite a few deer, and had a chickadee light on my arrow shaft, but aside from that, just had a good time. By the way, of the ten of us who have been down there from Grayling this fall, seven have brought home deer.

— JP —

You know, it isn't very nice to talk of the joys of bowhunting at the start of the rifle season, I suppose, but if you think that's bad, you should have seen the looks we got Sunday night, the day before opening, as we drove north with two deer tied to the back of the car. That alone was worth the trip.

Jack Pine

### Missionary To Speak At Assembly of God

Miss Virginia C. Hamlin, an Assemblies of God missionary to North India, will be guest speaker Wednesday, Nov. 17, 7:00 p.m., at the Assembly of God Church, 911 Elm Street, and also Thursday, Nov. 18, 10:00 a.m. at Ausagra Acres, 308 Lawndale, the Rev. Clifford Molnar, pastor, has announced.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Doctors Henly and Blaha, the nurses and staff for their care; all my friends and family for their cards, flowers and gifts, while at Mercy Hospital.

Marie Hatfield

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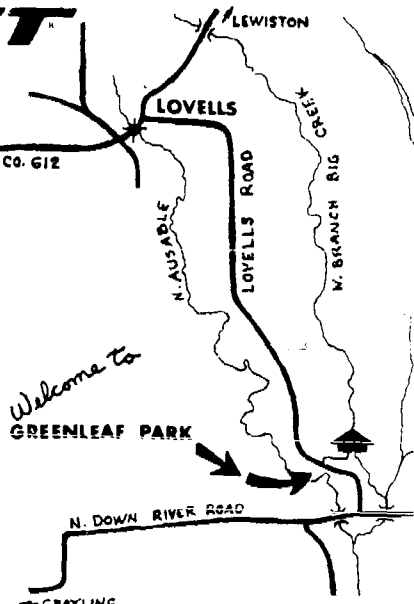
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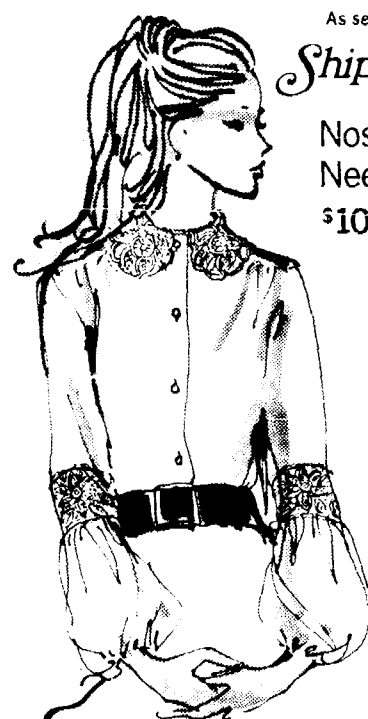
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## Obituaries

### Friday Services For Accident Victim

Funeral services for Mrs. Carol Echelbarger, 20, were held Friday, Nov. 12, at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Aumiller officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic. Mrs. Echelbarger was the victim of an automobile accident on Tuesday.

She was born in Galien, Mich., October 2, 1951, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Beck, now of Frederic. Other survivors are her husband, Dean; a son, William Dean; a daughter, Yvonne Marie; four brothers, Clifford, Donald, Christopher and Thomas Beck, all of Frederic; two sisters, Mrs. Nadine Weaver of Buchanan and Ellen Sue Beck of Frederic; also her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Wolford of Berrien Springs. Pallbearers were Rick Hopkins, Chuck Gugin, Doug Aumiller, John Kesby and Mike Ayers, all of Frederic and Jim Weaver of Grayling.

### Local Residents' Niece Killed In Wisconsin

Cindy St. Germain, 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack St. Germain, of Madison, Wisc. died Wednesday, Nov. 10, having been hit by a car while walking. Cindy was a 9th grade student.

The body was taken to Crystal Falls, Mich. for burial Saturday. Surviving besides her parents are two brothers, Larry of Mason City, Iowa, and Patrick at home and one sister, Amy at home, maternal grandfather, Claude Smith of Crystal Falls and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Ilene St. Germain of Baraga and Grayling, numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

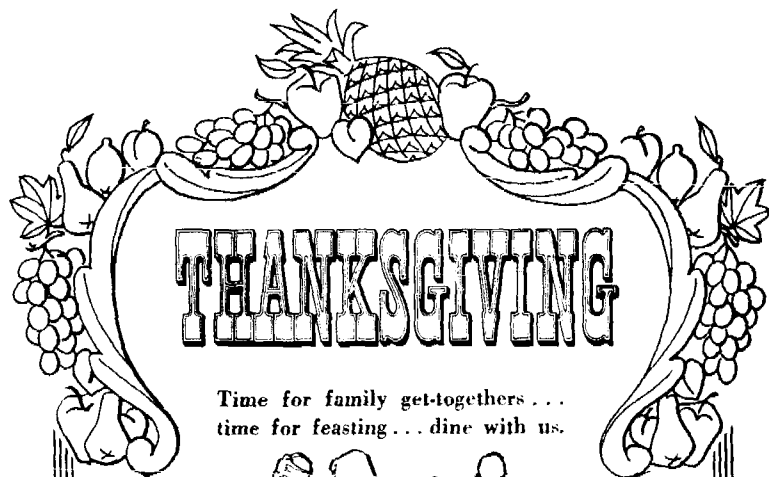
Those attending from here were Mrs. Ilene St. Germain, Mr. and Mrs. Tom St. Germain, and Mrs. Juanita Holland.

### Final Rites For Nelson Robinson, 78

Nelson A. Robinson, 78, of M-72 East died Sunday, Nov. 14, at the Extended Care Facility of Mercy Hospital. He was born in Gladwin June 27, 1893.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at one o'clock with Rev. Watson Bilger officiating. Burial will be in the Beaver Creek Cemetery. Relatives will serve as pallbearers.

Mr. Robinson is survived by his wife, Lena; two sons, Donald of Flint and Gerald of Ravenna; two daughters, Mrs. Elsie Raphael and Mrs. Gertrude Riley, both of Grand Rapids; 18 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



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## School Board Minutes

November 8, 1971

The meeting was called to order by President Joseph. Members present were Joseph, Harwood, Burns, Smock, Kolka, Johnson, and Madill.

The minutes were read by the secretary and approved. The financial report was approved. All voting aye.

It was moved by Kolka and supported by Burns that we pay bills 3883 through 3967. Motion carried. All voting aye.

The architects will be here on November 17, at 7:00 p.m. The deed for the new High School property has been received from the State (83 acres).

It was moved by Smock and supported by Kolka that we adopt the proposed salary schedule. It is subject to approval of the wage price control board. Motion carried. All voting aye.

It was moved by Smock and supported by Kolka that the Board appoint Fraser Dean to make application for funds under P. L. 874. Motion carried. All voting aye.

Jim Kolka discussed the laying out of a baseball field on the new High School property so that it will be ready for next spring.

Mr. Dean discussed school policies and presented the Board with the first two units of a proposed School Board Policy for the Board to study and report on at the next meeting. In the meantime, Mr. Dean will draw up the third unit of a policy so that the Board members will have it before the next meeting.

It was moved by Madill and supported by Smock that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

These minutes have not been approved and are subject to change.

James Madill, Secretary

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**DESCRIPTION OF LAND**  
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18-25-2-9

## Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, November 8, 1971 at the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Derek McEvers at 7:30 p.m.

Councilmen present: McEvers, Thomson, Golinick, Forbes, Bovee, Palmer.

Councilmen absent: None.

Also present: City Attorney Nelson A. Miles.

The Clerk presented the official canvas of votes of the Nov. 2nd election. Vote tabulation gave the following votes: Derek E. McEvers 76, Robert B. Golinick 74, Leo L. Palmer 72. The newly elected Councilmen were declared officially seated. Mr. Thomson was excused.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes that Derek McEvers be nominated as Mayor. Yeas: Golinick, Forbes, McEvers. Nays: None. Absent: Bovee, Palmer. The motion carried.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes that Derek McEvers be declared elected as Mayor. Yeas: Golinick, Forbes, Palmer, McEvers. Nays: None. Absent: Bovee. The motion carried.

Mr. Bovee was now present.

Moved by McEvers supported by Bovee to approve the minutes of Oct. 26th. Yeas all. The motion carried.

A public hearing on the vacating of Vine Street between McClellan and Spruce was held. No objections from the public were made. Moved by McEvers supported by Bovee that we vacate that portion of Vine Street between McClellan and Spruce reserving an adequate easement for City Utilities and providing that use of property vacated be approved by the City Council. Yeas: McEvers, Bovee, Forbes. Nays: Golinick, Palmer. The motion carried.

A resolution resolving that the City shall join the Crawford County Board of Commissioners and/or the Township of Grayling in a joint venture for construction, equipment, operation, maintenance and improvement of the public sector of the Grayling Airport was presented. Moved by Bovee supported by Forbes to adopt the resolution with the stipulation that the same be subject to the existing lease between the Federal Government and the operating agreement with Grayling Air Inc. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Palmer supported by Forbes that we enter into a contract with Mahlon Kiker for operation of the landfill for eight months with an appropriate severing clause. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes to approve payment of Richards, Findorff and Richards statements as follows: #7113 - \$2,432; #7135 - \$180; #7154 - \$95. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Bovee supported by Golinick to approve Estimate #8, D & L Contracting and T. A. Forsberg (lagoon) in the amount of \$6,304.09 and \$36,499.56 of retention account. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Bovee supported by McEvers to authorize a temporary transfer of \$8,000 from the General Fund to the Street Construction Account for partial payment to Scott Engineering as recommended by the City Manager. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Golinick supported by Palmer to approve payment of \$8,000 to Jack Millikin for garage foundation. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Messrs. Lary Gust and Larry Hunter appeared before the Council with a proposal for Assessing and Building and Zoning Administration for the City by the County at a cost of \$2,431.62 for one year based on three tenths of a mill of the City State Equalized Value. Moved by Golinick supported by Palmer to refer the proposal to the City Manager for review and recommendation. Yeas all. The motion carried.

A letter from Bernard Fowler resigning from the Airport Committee was read.

Notice of a public hearing by the State Boundary Commission to be held in City Hall at 8:00 p.m. December 16th was read.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes to nominate Robert Bovee as Mayor Pro Tem. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by McEvers supported by Golinick to elect Robert Bovee as Mayor Pro Tem by acclamation. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Moved by Golinick supported by McEvers to authorize the installation of a street light near the intersection of State and Oliver Streets. Yeas all. The motion carried.

Discussion was held regarding issuance of warrants and proposed D.N.R. Canoe Regulations.

Moved by Golinick supported by Forbes to adjourn. Yeas all. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

William Valusek,  
City Manager & City Clerk

MacLean, Seaman,  
Laing & Guilford  
Attorney for Petitioner  
1504 Michigan National Tower  
Lansing, Michigan 48933

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## Road Commissioners Minutes

October 29, 1971

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Shook presiding. Members present, Commissioners R. E. Shook, Ervin E. Richter and Harold T. Johnson, Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read. A motion was made by Comm. Richter, supported by Comm. Johnson that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Relative to Specifications and Standards for Plat Development and Street Construction a motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Richter that the following resolution be adopted:

**RESOLVED** That as of October 29, 1971 the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners hereby adopts the following Subdivision Regulations and rescind all former Standards and Specifications for Plat Development and Street Construction. All Final Plats that have been signed with construction guarantees shall be regulated by the previous specifications.

**DEFINITIONS: BOARD,** The Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Crawford, State of Michigan. **ENGINEER,** Crawford County Highway Engineer or his authorized representatives.

**INSPECTION,** Examination of construction methods and materials as a means of determining the acceptability of completed streets. **M.D.S.H. SPECIFICATIONS,** Current Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction issued by the Michigan Department of State Highways. **PLAT ACT,** Act 288 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1967 and all amendments known as the Subdivision Control Act of 1967 as amended.

**RIGHT OF WAY WIDTH & EASEMENTS:** All (public or private) proposed streets shall be sixty six feet unless additional right of way is necessary for proper construction. The layout of streets in a proposed plat shall provide a continuous circuit of travel except when, in the opinion of the BOARD, the lands to be subdivided are limited in area or are subject to a natural barrier. In such cases a dedication that provides access to another street at one end only will be acceptable if a turnaround of 75 foot minimum radius is provided at the terminus.

Half width dedications of roads will be acceptable only when the boundary of the proposed plat coincides with the boundaries of a recorded plat on which a half road has previously been dedicated, or when the boundaries of the proposed plat are coincidental with a section or quarter section line, and a dedication assured from the adjacent owners for the remaining half width.

When the proposed plat abuts unplatted land, provisions shall be made for future street extensions to the title line of the unplatted area unless other access is evident. Suitable access from an isolated plat to existing public roads must be provided by easement or dedication.

**APPROVAL:** One copy of the preliminary plat plan shall be approved or rejected within 30 days and returned by mail to the firm submitting same. If the plan is rejected, a letter stating the reasons for rejection will be sent to the engineering or surveying firm named on the plan.

**FINAL PLAT PLAN: IMPROVEMENTS,** The owner of the platted lands, or his agent, shall be required to grade, drain and surface the streets as shown on the plat in accordance with BOARD specifications. Such improvements as grading, drainage and gravel surface shall be completed before the plat is approved. In the event that the proprietor of the plat has not completed hard surfacing, seeding and mulching of the streets prior to the submission of the subdivision for final approval, he will be required to furnish a certified check, cash or surety bond to the BOARD for the faithful performance of such improvements. The deposit required shall be equal to at least 100% of the estimated cost of street improvements.

**APPROVAL,** The final completed plat, as prescribed by law, shall be presented upon completion to the BOARD for final approval. Plats approved with construction guarantees shall have the road construction finished within two (2) years from the signed date, unless such time be specifically extended.

**ROAD CONSTRUCTION:** CLEARING, All muck, trees, stumps and roots shall be entirely removed from the entire area between the street right of way lines. Trees that may be valuable outside the roadway and ditch line may be preserved providing that such will not obstruct clear vision on curves or create a hazard.

**FINISHED GRADE,** Roadbeds shall have a minimum of thirty four feet between shoulder points.

In well drained areas, the side ditches shall be constructed not less than one (1) foot below the shoulder grade. The slope from the shoulders to the ditch bottom shall not be less than three horizontal to one vertical. Back slopes, where required, shall be

**PRELIMINARY PLAN:** SUBMITTAL, Three (3) copies of a proposed plat or subdivision drawn to a scale of not more than 1" to 200' sealed by a Registered Land Surveyor or Registered Civil Engineer shall be submitted for approval to the BOARD.

**FEATURES,** The plan shall show location and extent of property, proposed streets with their names, alleys and all governing conditions such as adjoining subdivisions, highways, rivers, railroads, cemeteries, parks, natural water courses, county drains, sewers or any other features, the location of which or knowledge of its existence might be an influencing feature.

**STREET NAMES:** Street names shall not be adopted which may be confused with a similarly named street within the County. New streets which are an extension of or obviously in alignment with existing streets shall bear the name of the existing street.

**DRAINAGE PLAN,** A drainage plan may be superimposed on the preliminary plan or submitted as a supplement. It shall indicate the manner in which surface drainage is to be disposed. Normally, this will require making use of existing ditches or natural water courses. If drains cross private property within or adjacent to the subdivision, easements shall be provided.

Contours are to be shown at five (5) foot intervals where slopes are greater than ten percent (10%) or two (2) foot intervals for slopes less than ten percent (10%). Elevation data shall be obtained from a permanent monument or bench mark.

**SHOULDERS & DITCHES,** Topsoil or gravel shoulders 4' in depth shall be constructed with gravel specification equal to surfacing aggregate. Seeding and mulching will be required front and back slopes. No street will be accepted where ditch, slope erosion or sedimentation is evident. Seeding and mulching shall meet current M.D.S.H. Specifications. Sodding, riprap or cobble gutters may be required as determined by the BOARD'S ENGINEER.

**SIGHT DISTANCES,** The maximum grade permitted is seven (7) percent. Flat grades shall be approved by the BOARD'S ENGINEER. The minimum length of clear sight distance shall be 500'.

**SIGNS,** The proprietor shall furnish and erect street name and traffic control signs at all intersections within the subdivision and entrances thereto. The design of the signs shall be similar to road name signs currently being purchased for use on existing county roads.

**PRIVATE LOCAL ROADS,** Private local roads shall meet the minimum construction requirements as specified under the BOARD'S Specifications IV, A. Clearing, B. Finished Grade and C. Subsurface.

**EXISTING PUBLIC ROADS,** All existing public roads that lie within the proposed plat shall be constructed to the BOARD'S specifications for public road construction.

**MAINTENANCE, SCHEDULE,** It shall be the proprietor's responsibility to maintain all public roads and streets in good condition until they are taken over by the BOARD. Maintenance by the Road Commission shall commence after the actual construction is completed, the Final Plat is returned to offices of the Crawford County Road Commission and the public roads incorporated into the public road system.

Ayes, Shook, Richter, Johnson; Nays, none.

An application was received from Consumers Power Company for a permit to bury underground distribution line 108½' along E. Pioneer Road, Sec. 31, T25N, R2W, South Branch Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

An application was received from Michigan Consolidated Gas Company for a permit to install approximately 182' of gas main along N. Roberts Road, Grayling Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

An application was received from Shell Oil Company for a permit to conduct seismic survey along Deward Road and Mt. Frederic Road, T28N, R4W, Frederic Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

The Board authorized Engr. Mgr. Keir to replace the old Steam Genny and to advertise for the sale of the stone crusher.

The Commissioners, Engr. Mgr. Keir and Supt. Feldhauser made a trip of inspection over Pine Point Road, Danish Landing Road, Eagle Point Road, Arrowhead Road and Royal Coachman Drive. Upon returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.

/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

constructed to the same minimum slopes as fore slopes.

The presence of other than granular materials in the subgrade shall require a fifteen (15) inch granular subbase or other special treatment approved by the ENGINEER.

Drainage structures shall be provided by the proprietor where required. All culverts shall be concrete or corrugated metal pipe with a minimum diameter of fifteen (15) inches. The size and location to be approved by the ENGINEER.

**SUBSURFACE,** Subsurfacing materials shall consist of 6 inches compacted crushed road aggregate (22A M.D.S.H. Specifications) 170 lbs per square yard, placed on 21 feet of bituminous or emulsion prime at 0.25 gallons per square yard, or 22' of non-skid surface treatment (sealcoat) consisting of prime and triple seal. Materials shall meet M.D.S.H. Specifications as approved by the BOARD'S ENGINEER. Testing shall be completed by commercial testing labs with the proprietor bearing all costs.

**CONSTRUCTION,** Roads are not to be sealed or paved until the finished grade has gone through a complete freeze-thaw cycle. The proprietor shall post a bond to cover this work.

**WEARING SURFACE:** All public local roads shall be "hard" surfaced with: 1. 20' of Bit Agg. Surf Course 4.09 (MDSH specification) 170 lbs per square yard, placed on 21 feet of bituminous or emulsion prime at 0.25 gallons per square yard, or 22' of non-skid surface treatment (sealcoat) consisting of prime and triple seal. Materials shall meet M.D.S.H. Specifications as approved by the BOARD'S ENGINEER. Testing shall be completed by commercial testing labs with the proprietor bearing all costs.

**CONSTRUCTION,** Roads are not to be sealed or paved until the finished grade has gone through a complete freeze-thaw cycle. The proprietor shall post a bond to cover this work.

**SHOULDERS & DITCHES,** Topsoil or gravel shoulders 4' in depth shall be constructed with gravel specification equal to surfacing aggregate. Seeding and mulching will be required front and back slopes. No street will be accepted where ditch, slope erosion or sedimentation is evident. Seeding and mulching shall meet current M.D.S.H. Specifications. Sodding, riprap or cobble gutters may be required as determined by the BOARD'S ENGINEER.

**SIGHT DISTANCES,** The maximum grade permitted is seven (7) percent. Flat grades shall be approved by the BOARD'S ENGINEER. The minimum length of clear sight distance shall be 500'.

**SIGNS,** The proprietor shall furnish and erect street name and traffic control signs at all intersections within the subdivision and entrances thereto. The design of the signs shall be similar to road name signs currently being purchased for use on existing county roads.

**PRIVATE LOCAL ROADS,** Private local roads shall meet the minimum construction requirements as specified under the BOARD'S Specifications IV, A. Clearing, B. Finished Grade and C. Subsurface.

**EXISTING PUBLIC ROADS,** All existing public roads that lie within the proposed plat shall be constructed to the BOARD'S specifications for public road construction.

**MAINTENANCE, SCHEDULE,** It shall be the proprietor's responsibility to maintain all public roads and streets in good condition until they are taken over by the BOARD. Maintenance by the Road Commission shall commence after the actual construction is completed, the Final Plat is returned to offices of the Crawford County Road Commission and the public roads incorporated into the public road system.

Ayes, Shook, Richter, Johnson; Nays, none.

An application was received from Consumers Power Company for a permit to bury underground distribution line 108½' along E. Pioneer Road, Sec. 31, T25N, R2W, South Branch Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

An application was received from Michigan Consolidated Gas Company for a permit to install approximately 182' of gas main along N. Roberts Road, Grayling Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

An application was received from Shell Oil Company for a permit to conduct seismic survey along Deward Road and Mt. Frederic Road, T28N, R4W, Frederic Township. The permit was approved and signed by the Commissioners.

The Board authorized Engr. Mgr. Keir to replace the old Steam Genny and to advertise for the sale of the stone crusher.

The Commissioners, Engr. Mgr. Keir and Supt. Feldhauser made a trip of inspection over Pine Point Road, Danish Landing Road, Eagle Point Road, Arrowhead Road and Royal Coachman Drive. Upon returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ R. E. Shook, Chrm.

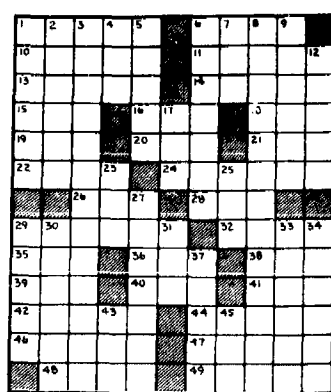
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec'y

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

**Today's Answer**

**ACROSS**  
1. Heathen  
2. Spar  
3. Explate  
4. Cut to the quick  
5. Swiss river  
6. Stannum  
7. Wallach  
8. Lyric poem  
9. Work unit  
10. Type of truck  
11. A Kennedy  
12. Departed  
13. Singed  
14. Bobble  
15. Table scrap  
16. Joyous shout  
17. Menace  
18. Outdo  
19. John  
20. Brown's dog  
21. Sine qua  
22. Undersized  
23. Go wrong  
24. Cloying sentimentality  
25. "Puppet String" (2 wds.)  
26. Ascribed  
27. Indian lemur  
28. Indication  
29. Part of the leg  
30. Hit hard  
31. Nuzzled

**DOWN**  
1. Light color  
2. Raiment  
3. Gambling everything: colloq. (3 wds.)  
4. Girl's name  
5. Region of Israel  
6. Seaman  
7. Handle  
8. Wednesday  
9. Everything: colloq. (3 wds.)  
10. Paper money  
11. Necessitous  
12. Fall behind  
13. Loren's "three"  
14. Touching  
15. Rival  
16. Elton's rival  
17. Actor Lloyd  
18. Salt (Fr.)  
19. Palestinian plain  
20. Thunted



Puzzle No. 2104

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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Grayling region has been known for many years throughout the United States as a center for recreational canoeing;

WHEREAS, The spring, summer and fall economy of the Grayling region is dependent on recreational canoeing;

WHEREAS, The employment factor of the canoe livery and all tourist oriented business is dependent upon recreational canoeing during the spring, summer and fall;

WHEREAS, The Grayling City Council does not believe that recreational canoeing has an adverse effect on the aesthetic and ecological value on the AuSable river (main stream, South branch and North branch);

NOW THEREFORE, Be it resolved that the Grayling City Council desires an equitable and fair solution to the Department of Natural Resources' tentative proposals on the river use regulations pertaining to the AuSable river - main stream, south branch and north branch.

### CITY OF GRAYLING

William Valusek, City Clerk. Derek McEvers, Mayor.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Grayling City Council at a Special Meeting held on November 11, 1971.

William Valusek, City Clerk.

## NOTICE OF SECOND HEARING

The second formal hearing will be held on the General Rules for River Use tentatively adopted by the Natural Resources Commission, acting under authority of Act 17, P.A. 1921 and Act 306 P.A. 1969 as amended. The hearing will also cover application of these proposed rules to certain segments and tributaries of the AuSable, Manistee, Pine and Pere Marquette Rivers

The hearing will be held on December 1 at 1:30 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Seven Story Office Building, Capitol Complex, Lansing. In lieu of presentation at the hearing, comments may be submitted in writing by December 1, 1971 to the Department of Natural Resources, Stevens T. Mason Building, Lansing, Michigan 48926.

A third hearing will be held on or about February 1, 1972 in Lansing; date, time and place to be announced later.

Copies of the tentative rules are available upon request from the Department of Natural Resources, Lansing 48926, or from the Regional Office of the Department of Natural Resources, Roscommon.

Department of Natural Resources  
Office of Planning Services  
Lansing, Michigan 48926  
November 10, 1971

## Bennett-Staffan Wed At Cheboygan

The wedding vows of Carol Ann Bennett and John P. Staffan were spoken on October 18th at St. Mary's Church in Cheboygan. Rev. Fr. Francis Partridge officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bennett of Route 3, Cheboygan and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Staffan of Mackinaw City.

For her wedding, the bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length white satin gown with white lace appliques. Lace enhanced her veil and she carried a bouquet of roses and carnations.

Miss Torrey Bennett was her sister's maid of honor, and another sister, Debbie, was bridesmaid. They both wore olive green floor length gowns and carried colonial bouquets of orange and bronze mums.

Best man was the brother of the groom, Tom Staffan of Mackinaw City. Kelly Staffan, another brother of the groom, was groomsmen. Ushers were Richard Bedell of Conway, brother-in-law of the groom, and Dennis Beach of Mackinaw City.

The bride's mother chose a light blue dress with matching accessories for the wedding and her flowers were pink roses. The groom's mother was attired in a peach colored dress with matching accessories and her flowers were pink roses.

Following a reception held at Downing's Banquet Room the couple left for a honeymoon trip to Tennessee and North Carolina where they visited many points of interest. Upon their return to Cheboygan, they are living in their new home on Galbraith Road.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Staffan are graduates of Mackinaw City High School. She graduated in 1971 and he graduated in 1968. He also attended North Central College in Petoskey.

Mrs. Emma Bennett of Grayling, grandmother of the bride, was present for the wedding.

## City-County Share In Highway Funds

LANSING—Third quarter Motor Vehicle Highway Fund collections are being distributed to Michigan counties and cities and villages, the State Highway Commission reports.

State Highway Director Henrik E. Stafsoth said net receipts of the Highway Fund during July, August and September of 1971 amounted to \$81,461,406, an increase of \$3,695,257 or 4.8 per cent compared to the same period of 1970.

Crawford County's share totaled \$107,855 while the City of Grayling received \$6,437.

All State gasoline and diesel fuel taxes and license plate fees go to the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund.

After deduction of collection costs and the State Waterways Commission's share of 1 1/2 per cent of gasoline taxes, the money is distributed with 46 per cent to the Department of State Highways, 34 per cent to the state's 83 counties and 20 per cent to the 529 incorporated cities and villages.

Under this formula, the Highway Department will receive \$37,472,246 as its share of the third quarter collections. The counties will receive \$27,696,878 and the cities and villages will get \$16,292,281.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford

CLYDE R. BORCHERS and MARY GRETCHEN BORCHERS, husband and wife, Plaintiffs

vs.

MARGARET BIGHAM or her unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants

Civil Action No. ORDER TO ANSWER

On the 28th day of October, 1971, an Action was filed by Clyde R. Borchers and Mary Gretchen Borchers, husband and wife against Margaret Bigham or her unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns in this Court to quiet title to property described as:

Lot Number Five (5), Block Number One (1), Brinks Park Subdivision, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the defendant, Margaret Bigham or her unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 4th day of January, 1972. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

DATE OF ORDER: November 1, 1971.

Dennis J. O'Keefe Circuit Judge

Nelson A. Miles Attorney for Plaintiffs 306 State Street Grayling, Michigan 49738

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## District Court Action

The following appeared in the 83rd District Court last week before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

Edward I. Mattox, 20, of Union Lake demanded preliminary examination on three charges: possession of L.S.D., sale of narcotics, and bond jumping. The first two offenses allegedly occurred on July 21 and the arrest was made by sheriff's officers. Bond of \$10,000.00 on each charge was set (a total of \$30,000.00).

Raleigh S. Owen, 42, of Grayling pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly and was sentenced to spend 30 days in jail. He was arrested by city police on November 11.

Edward J. LaSota, 29, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to impaired driving and was ordered to pay fine and costs of \$124.00 or 14 days in jail. City police were the arresting officers on November 10.

Charles Decker, 43, of Grayling demanded preliminary examination to an indecent liberties charge. He was arrested by city police on September 7. Bond of \$1000.00 was set.

### CARD OF THANKS

Dr. and Mrs. Clippert extend their heartfelt thanks to their many kind friends for the lovely flowers, cards and visits to them during their recent illness. And a special thanks to Dr. Henig and the other Doctors and nurses for the wonderful care they received.

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## BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Marlatt returned home Sunday before last from a three weeks vacation spent in the Detroit area. They were also in Bay City and Port Huron visiting friends and taking care of some business.

Mrs. Stan Flower left last week to make her home in Algoma, Wisc., until after Thanksgiving when she will then go to Florida for the winter. Marge and Stan moved to the Lake in 1928 and in 1938 they purchased their cabin there. Stan worked for the railroad until his death. Marge will be greatly missed by all of her friends at the Lake. They all wish her much success and happiness in her new place of residence and hope she will come back during the summer to visit. The Milan Belansky family of Detroit have purchased her home and will be using it for a vacation home both during the summer and winter.

Candy Pond was home from Detroit last weekend to visit her parents the Gordons.

William Johnson, son of the Keith Johnsons, is in Munson Hospital at Traverse City, where he is to have surgery on his leg this week.

Word was received of the death of Hugo Boethcher of E. Lansing, who passed away Thursday. Funeral services were held on Saturday. He is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter. Hugo has a cottage on the Manistee River and has spent his summers here for the past 13 years and has many friends here. He was co-founder of the Lieberman Trunk Co. of Lansing and was 82 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. William Larush returned home Thursday from spending a week visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Perry and family in Lowell.

Marv Bielski and friends stopped in Sunday of last week to call on his parents, the Joe Bielskis enroute back to Flint from spending some time at their cabin on Bois Blanc Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Moghard of Flint spent a few days last week at their cabin in Beaver Creek and called on the Joe Bielskis on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tower spent from Saturday until Wednesday of last week in Caro visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fay Burson, who was in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoel visited her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gehringer in Livonia and Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Charles in Taylor weekend before last. They left here on Friday and returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Neva McCully of Jackson called on Maj. and Mrs. John Lake Parker for a day or so last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kaczmarek of Detroit and Mrs. Don Eggert and two children also of Detroit spent weekend before last visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bielski.

Steve LaGrow is here spending a 40 day furlough, from the Navy, with his parents, the Wesley LaGrows, until around the middle of December. Steve's ship just returned from a six week cruise around South America.

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November 22 thru 24

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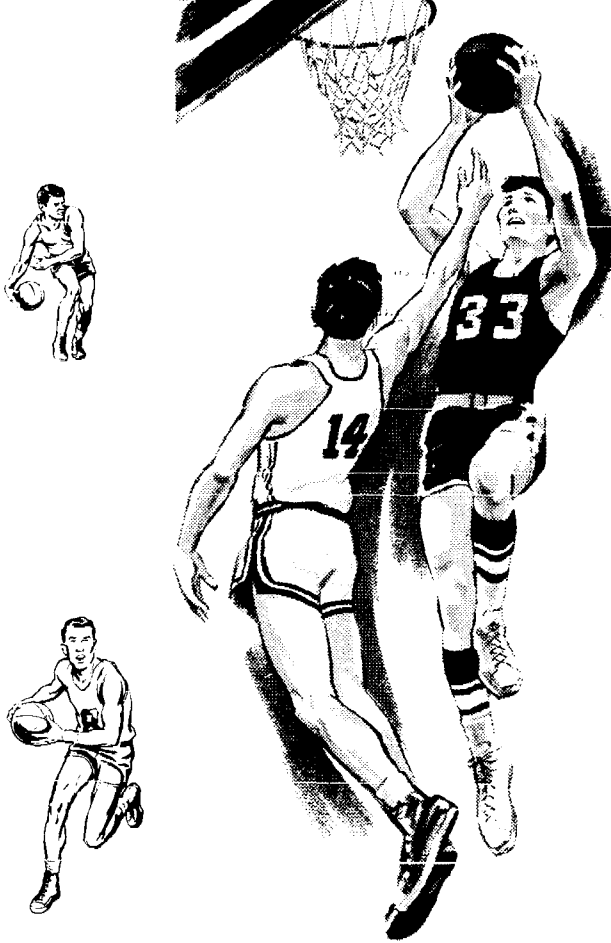
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ROSCOMMON	Feb. 15
PELLSTON	Feb. 18
CHARLEVOIX	Feb. 25

HARBOR SPRINGS	Dec. 3
KALKASKA	Dec. 14
PELLSTON	Jan. 7
CHARLEVOIX	Jan. 14
GAYLORD	Jan. 25
ONAWAY	Jan. 28
MANCELONA	Feb. 11
HOUGHTON LAKE	Feb. 22

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**American League - 1st Div.**  
1. Grayling Merc. 25 1/2  
2. Bear Archery 23 1/2  
3. Jarmin Insurance 22 1/2  
4. Tarpon Ind. 20  
5. Uncle Al 19 1/2  
6. Clair's Standard 19  
7. Rochettes 18  
8. Clark's Super 14  
High series: E. Griffith, 649;  
K. Moore, 582; B. Rubio and G. Sawyer, 581.  
High game: E. Griffith, 238;  
D. Canfield, 226; E. Griffith, 221.

**American League - 2nd Div.**  
1. Union 76 24  
2. Millikin Const. 23  
3. C. F. Fick Dist. 23  
4. Grayling Dist. 22 1/2  
5. Johns Super 100 22  
6. Parker Surveying 17  
7. Gray-Lee Judo 15  
8. Moose Legion 13 1/2  
High series: D. Millikin, 565;  
J. Millikin, 535; D. Freeman, 533.  
High game: F. Reichelderfer, 215; D. Millikin, 210 and 193.

**National League - 1st Div.**  
1. Dons Tires 32  
2. Bear Archery 25  
3. Lees Venders 21  
4. City of Grayling 19  
5. Tarpon Industries 18  
6. Grayling State Bank 17  
7. Lovely Real Estate 17  
8. Scheer Motors 12  
High series: R. Hoffman, 578;  
D. Canfield, 557; D. Worden, 546.  
High game: A. Stephenson, 214; R. Hoffman, 213; D. Canfield, 211.

**National League - 2nd Div.**  
1. Ray's Canoes 28  
2. R & H Sports 24  
3. General Telephone 21 1/2  
4. Caid's Grocery 21  
5. Gilberts Penguin 19  
6. AuSable Manistee 18  
7. Legion Lanes 17 1/2  
8. Sams Auto Parts 13  
High series: Fred Shaibly, 574;  
Bryon Sisco, 527; Dick Rasmussen, 518.  
High game: Dick Rasmussen, 213; Fred Shaibly, 207; Jack Rasmussen, 200.

**Pioneer League**  
1. Cornell's 26  
2. Packard Electric 26  
3. Vita Boy 24  
4. Sorenson's 22  
5. Al's Gal's 21  
6. Dawson's 17  
7. Avalanche 16  
8. Fred Bear Museum 8  
High series: Deanna Russell, 514; Gloria Kraus, 511; Ruby Reetz, 505.  
High game: Deanna Russell, 195; Ruby Reetz, 182; A. Petersen and G. Kraus, 189.

**Recreation League**  
1. Olsons 27 1/2  
2. Bay City Times 27  
3. Bills Laundry 22  
4. Grayling State Bank 22  
5. Recreationalists 20 1/2  
6. Culligan Soft Water 19  
7. Lovell's Bar 19  
8. Dingmans Tavern 17  
9. AuSable Hotel 16 1/2  
10. Legion Lounge 16  
11. Pioneer Room 16  
12. Glens Market 14  
13. R & H Sport 13  
14. Wag-On-Inn 13  
15. Ski Whiz Snowmobiles 13  
16. Rochettes 12 1/2  
High series: Jerrine Hoffman, 550; Sandy Korhonen, 497; Joyce Ingalls, 483.  
High game: Jerrine Hoffman, 210; Sandy Korhonen, 190; Carol Thorp, 173.

**Northwood League**  
1. Bill Hart Ford 24  
2. Top O' Michigan 23  
3. Bear Archery Co. 23  
4. Millikin's Cont. 21  
5. Bob's Car Wash 15 1/2  
6. Frank's Gray Bay 15 1/2  
7. Rosie's Gals 12  
8. Ben Franklin 10  
High series: Fern Duncan, 512; Lois Bendig, 511; Betty Helsel, 510.  
High game: Fern Duncan, 221; Edna Howlett, 184; Betty Helsel, 183.

**Triangle League**  
1. Bear Mt. Lounge 22  
2. Goldie's Poodle Salon 20  
3. Legion Lanes 19  
4. Glen's Market #1 19  
5. Hatt's Motel 18  
6. Wag-On-Inn 16  
7. Glen's Market #2 15  
8. Miller Hardware 15  
High series: Dale Tinker, 547; Tom Cosgrove, 519; Tom Otto, 512.  
High game: Dale Tinker, 226; Tom Cosgrove, 205; Tom Otto, 201.

**Sunday Mixed Doubles**  
1. Colonial Interior 25  
2. Big Wheel 24  
3. Grayling Vending 24  
4. Luzerne Annex 20  
5. Frederic General 19  
6. Beaver Bend Lodge 17  
7. Moose Lodge 17  
8. Deckers Fix It 16  
High series, men: Duke LaMotte, 575; Dan Canfield, 544; Walt LaMotte, 516.  
High game, men: L. Molnar, 215; D. Canfield, 204; W. LaMotte, 203.  
High series, women: Clara Nill, 510; Loretta Tobin, 494; Lynn Howie, 441.  
High game, women: Clara Nill, 215; Lynn Howie, 174; Loretta Tobin, 172.

USE AVALANCHE WANT ADS

## SBA Representative To Visit Traverse City

Robert F. Phillips, District Director of the Small Business Administration, announced today that a loan officer will be available in Traverse City on Tuesday, Nov. 23, 1971, to conduct interviews with prospective loan applicants. This will be for the purpose of interviewing small businessmen who wish to make application for a business loan or to acquire information regarding SBA's lending or other programs.

The SBA representative will be available from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Traverse City Chamber of Commerce Building located at Grand View Parkway. Inquiries are encouraged to bring current financial information including up-to-date balance sheets and operating statements to the interview.

Interested parties may call (518) 947-5075 to arrange for a definite appointment.

## Welcome

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ent day need in the field of human relations. With her "Most Famous Basket in the World," Mrs. Naour will warmly extend to the families upon whom she calls the hand of friendship and helpfulness for which Welcome Wagon has been known for more than four decades.

Mrs. Naour is a former secretary with the telephone company in Detroit, her husband John is a former graphic arts photographer. They moved to the area a year ago when they purchased the Pleasant Pine Resort. Norma is most interested in promoting Grayling with regard to its welfare and progress, and is looking forward to serving the community in her new position. If you know of new people in the area, she would welcome your call — phone 348-8478.

## Bloodmobile

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this 21 day period, they become outdated. No pint of blood is wasted. All of this outdated blood is returned to the Lansing Regional Red Cross Blood Center located in Lansing. The blood center delivers this blood to the Michigan Department of Health, also in Lansing.

There, the Health Department Laboratory separates the cells from the plasma, and the plasma is made into various derivatives. These products, in turn, are available, without charge, to the patients.

Some of the products made from the plasma are Fibrinogen, used for treating hemorrhage; serum albumen, used for treating shock; and gamma globulin for treatment of measles and hepatitis.

Crawford County is one of 34 counties participating in the regional blood program. It is a service provided for residents through the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

The bloodmobile will visit Crawford County in Grayling on November 30, 1971, from 12 Noon to 6 p.m. All residents of this area are urged to come in to donate blood and help support their program at the American Legion Hall.

## Soil District

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waterway hold the soil in place while the blades of grass filter out sediment that is carried by run-off water.

To provide for our future woodland needs, wildlife improvement, and add to the beauty of our countryside, 151 acres of trees were planted and 386 acres of land were managed for wildlife improvement.

The selection of lands and the control of soil losses during a change to an urban use is receiving increased attention from the responsible governmental agencies and officials. Resources data, including the suitability of soils for various urban land uses, and conservation practices for erosion control have been supplied to 23 units of government.

The contribution of the Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation District cooperators, added to those of the other 83 SCD's in Michigan, results in impressive accomplishments toward an improved environment. Over 2400 acres of critical eroding areas were stabilized with vegetation; 112 miles of trees and shrub windbreaks were established for wind erosion control; over 400 miles of grass waterways were constructed; 12,000 acres of trees were planted; 60,000 acres of land managed for wildlife; and approximately 1,000 units of government were given assistance on the use of natural resources for developing land use plans.

Conserving and managing our natural resources to improve the quality of our environment for the good of the future continues to receive high priority from the cooperators of the soil conservation districts throughout the State of Michigan.

## BITS O' TALK

Rev. and Mrs. Watson Bilger and daughters, Georgia and Laura Jean are leaving our community this week, he having been called to serve at the Pilon Baptist Church, Pilon, Mich. They will be greatly missed at Calvary Baptist Church and the Elementary school by Mrs. Bilger's second grade class and by the girls' school chums but they promise to come back often and visit their friends here. We wish them much success in their new Church and home.

The Wednesday evening bridge club met on Nov. 10 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Welsh. High score for the evening was held by Mrs. Dale Pettengill and second high by Mrs. Richard DuBois. Mrs. Joseph Stripe held low. The next meeting will be on December 1 with Mrs. Melvin Nielson as hostess.

S/Sgt. James Bishaw has left for his new base after spending a 30 day leave visiting his parents, the Fred Bishaws. Jim had returned from a tour of duty in Vietnam and is now stationed at Fort Hood, Texas. He visited other friends and relatives while here. Suzanne Bishaw and friend John Wildie of Lansing visited at the home of her parents for a few days last week and saw her brother Jim while here.

Earl Whaley spent Sunday in Lansing at the Olds Plaza Hotel attending a chapter officer training school provided by the Pioneer District of SPEBSQSA. Earl is secretary-treasurer of the AuSable Valley Chapter. Tom and Mark Whaley went along and visited relatives.

## Wish to Give?

Anyone interested in donating to the Legion Kiddies' Christmas Party, Saturday, Dec. 18th, please contact, Harold Golnick, 348-9418; Leo Lovely, 348-3581 or Ken Moore, 348-8082. Make checks payable to Kiddies' Christmas Party, address P. O. Box 313, Grayling.

Buy-Sell in the Avalanche

William Rufus (Billy) Roberson is here to make his home with his grandparents, the Walter Critchers, and visit his mother, Pauline Roberson, after receiving his discharge from the Army on November 2nd at Fort Riley, Kansas. He spent nine years in the service and is now employed at Tarpon Industries.

Sister Mary Carona and niece, Loretta Whaley, were in Mt. Pleasant Monday attending the funeral of Gertrude Grisdale. Mrs. Grisdale was a sister of Sister Carona.

## Mercy Hospital News

Patients at Mercy Hospital include Bonnie Benware, Mabel Christenson, Linda Decker, Patrick Flanagan, Jessie Gerhard, Frederick Keicher, Laurine Kraus, Kenneth Laeder, Adelaide Laurence, Martha McArthur, Mary Neal, Emile Parent, Elsie Reive, Jessy Kiness, Wanita Walker and Brock Weaver of Grayling; Alice Breckrow and Loretta Case of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus of Grayling are the parents of a daughter born on Nov. 12 weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces. She has not been named at this writing. Born on Nov. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Joseph Breckrow Sr. of Frederic a son weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces.


## THANK YOU

When life seemed at its lowest ebb because the day went wrong, I found I truly had a host of wonderful friends. I will always be grateful to Doctors Dosch and Blaha for their skill and care; the nurses and aides who tended my every need; the friends and relations who took the time to let me know they cared; the prayers offered in my behalf, and the wonderful welcome home I received. For these I will never be able to forget. May God Bless you all as he has me.

Sincerely,  
Edith Long

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